# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# TEXTILES
# LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:117
ANSWERED ON:03.03.2016
Shortage of Raw Material for Textile Mills
Choubey Shri Ashwini Kumar

**Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:**

(a) the details of sick textile mills revived in the country during the last three years;

(b) whether there is a shortage of good quality cotton to meet the growing demand of the Indian textile industry, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the fluctuating prices and uncertainties in the availability of raw material has lead to drop in production and unprofitability of the mills; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the measures taken by the Government in this regard?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.*117 TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.03.2016.

(a): Madam, during the last three years, no Government textile mill has been revived in the country.

(b): No. India produces sufficient cotton to meet the domestic consumption demand and also export substantial quantity of cotton to other countries of the world.

(c) & (d): Does not arise in view of (b) above.

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